STAND. COM. REP. NO.

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Honolulu, Hawaii

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RE: S.B. No. 283

Honorable Donna Mercado Kim President of the Senate Twenty-Eighth State Legislature Regular Session of 2015 State of Hawaii

## Madam:

Your Committee on Tourism and International Affairs, to which was referred S.B. No. 283 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII TOURISM AUTHORITY,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to clarify the qualification and term limit requirements for the Board of Directors of the Hawaii Tourism Authority.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the Hawaii Tourism Authority. Your Committee received comments on this measure from the Office of Hawaiian Affairs.

Your Committee finds that this measure clarifies ambiguities in section 201B-2, Hawaii Revised Statutes, with regard to the qualification and term limit requirements for the Board of Directors of the Hawaii Tourism Authority. Your Committee further finds that the term "accommodations", as used in the tourism industry, embraces the management, promotion, and marketing of facilities and that the use of this term in the statute is more appropriate.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Tourism and International Affairs that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 283 and recommends that it pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

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Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs,

FILBERT KAHELE, Chair

## The Senate Twenty-Eighth Legislature State of Hawai'i

## Record of Votes Committee on Tourism and International Affairs TSI

Bill / Resolution No.:*	Committee Referral:			Date:	
SB 283	TSI, JOL			02/04/15	
The Committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure.  If so, then the previous decision was to:					
The Recommendation is:					
Pass, unamended Pass, with amendments Hold Recommit 2312 2311 2310 2313					
Members		Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
KAHELE, Gilbert (C)					
ENGLISH, J. Kalani (VC)		1//	Dr 12	/	
TANIGUCHI, Brian T.			•		
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